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GROUP 2176
PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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William J. BAER, et al.

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Commissioner for Patents

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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 4, 2005, please consider the remarks as submitted herewith on the accompanying pages.

REMARKS

This Response, submitted in reply to the Office Action dated January 4, 2005, is believed to be fully responsive to each point of rejection raised therein. Accordingly, favorable reconsideration on the merits is respectfully requested.

Claims 1-15 are all the claims pending in the application.